--- CANADA LEAF ONLY - Montreal Division - “Series of 1881” - 3rd BABN Contract ---

--- 1 pound - perforated 12 - *lithographed* in GREEN ink - 4 mm. blue controls ---

--- 238 x 20 mm. - inscribed *J. L. Vincent / Collector* - scanned at 67% scale ---

Chris Ryan reports that *J. L. Vincent* replaced *Dunbar Browne* as Collector at Montreal on May 1st 1879.

3rd BABN Contract (1878-1886) John McKay records 65,000 *lithographed* copies of “1 lb. Green Leaf” as ‘delivered’

4th BABN Contract (1886-1892) John McKay records 12,000 *lithographed* copies of “1 lb. Green Canada Leaf” as ‘delivered’. In the second TOBACCO section of the 4th BABN Contract he records the ‘delivery’ of 295,958 *lithographed* copies of “1 lb. Green Ribbon”.

The total is 65,000 + 12,000 + 295,958 = 372,958 copies

--- The highest control number - as recorded to date ---

1 pound, green, Montreal Division CANADA LEAF ONLY - **001193**
1/5 lb. on 1 pound, Montreal Division CANADA LEAF ONLY - **006936**

The catalogue lists the 1 pound, green, Montreal Division CANADA LEAF ONLY strip as follows:

RP-121 - 1 pound, green, perforated 12, Montreal Division, on *block wmkd* vertical mesh wove - 4 mm. blue controls

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Lithographed on block watermarked vertical mesh wove paper - roller cancelled **TOBACCO / 9.17**

006936★ RP-411 **1/5 lb.** on 1 pound, perf 12, Montreal Division on block wmkd wove, Roller cancelled **TOBACCO / 9.17**

Is this strip control numbered in its original 1 pound Montreal sequence, or were the controls in the **1/5 lb.** sequence? I think the control numbers were applied in the 1/5th pound sequence.

--- RP-121 - 1 pound - perforated 12 - on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove ---

RP-121 - 1 pound, green, perforated 12, Montreal Division, control number **001058**
Lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove

001058★	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove
001107	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove
001122 ★	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove
001177	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove
001187	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove
001191	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove
001193	RP-121	1 pound, perforated 12, on block watermarked vertical mesh wove

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The following strip is a remnant. It has been scissor-clipped from an unfinished imperforate sheet. Since it was not a production item, I feel that it is preferable to simply list it without a separate catalogue number.

1 pound, green, *imperforate*, Montreal Division, without control numbering
Lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove

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